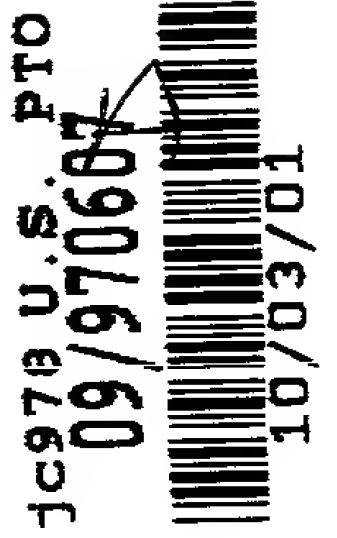


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FOR: NOVEL POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING
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**REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION-IN-PART NON-
PROVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

1. This is a request for filing a non-provisional patent application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b).

This application claims priority to USSN 60/182,723, filed February 15, 2000 (15966-677); USSN 60/182,733 filed February 15, 2000 (15966-675); USSN 60/182,724, filed February 15, 2000 (15966-676); USSN 60/183,896, filed February 22, 2000 (15966-685); USSN 60/224,157, filed August 10, 2000 (15966-685A); USSN 60/184,497, filed February 23, 2000 (15966-688); USSN 60/184,482, filed February 23, 2000 (15966-689); USSN 60/184,275, filed February 23, 2000 (15966-690); USSN 60/184,744, filed February 24, 2000 (15966-691); USSN 60/197,083, filed April 13, 2000 (15966-770); USSN 60/233,405, filed September 18, 2000 (15966-770A); USSN 60/236,060, filed September 27, 2000 (21402-129); USSN 60/259,414, filed January 2, 2001 (15966-676A); USSN 60/262,454, filed January 18, 2001 (21402-250); USSN 60/215,855, filed July 3, 2000 (21402-048); USSN 60/237,862, filed October 4, 2000 (21402-138); and USSN 09/783,429, filed February 14, 2001 (15966-675 Utility), and USSN 09/898,953, filed July 3, 2001 (15966-675 CIP) which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

2. This application is a total of 171 pages. This application includes:
 - 156 pages of specification (not including claims, abstract, or figures)
 - 14 pages of claims
 - 1 page of abstract
3. A Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney (unsigned) is included.
4. Fees associated with this application have been calculated as follows:


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Request for New Nonprovisional Application (37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	79	– 20 =	59	\$18.00	\$1,062.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	4	– 3 =	1	\$84.00	\$84.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))				\$280.00	\$0
				SUBTOTAL:	\$1886.00
				Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:	\$0.00
				TOTAL FEE:	\$1886.00

5. A check (# 10413) in the amount of **\$1886.00** is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due, or credit overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 15966-675 CIP 2.
6. A return receipt postcard is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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